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R 041420Z MAR 83  
FM AMEMBASSY ROME  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6545  
INFO AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD  
DISMISSION GENEVA

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STATE FOR AID/FFP: R. POOLEY; RP: S. BAZALA

GENEVA FOR R. PAIVA

E.O. 12356: N.A.  
TAGS: SREF, EAID, WFP  
SUBJECT: PL 480 TITLE II - AFGHAN REFUGEES IN PAKISTAN -  
WFP/PAKISTAN XXI

REF: (A) STATE 040442 (B) ROME 0708 (C) ISLAMABAD 0762  
(D) AID/W REVIEW - POOLEY/STAMBERG/KUNKLE JAN 83

1. WFP/ROME HAS BEEN STRUGGLING WITH THE FORWARD PLANNING  
FOR FOOD ASSISTANCE TO AFGHAN REFUGEES IN PAKISTAN. THE  
LATEST EXPANSION, WFP/PAKISTAN EXP XXI (TWENTY-ONE),  
50,000 METRIC TONS WHEAT, 5,000 MT NFDM AND 3,000 MT  
DATES HAS BEEN APPROVED. FYI - WFP HAS BEEN UNABLE TO  
ESTABLISH A MORE SATISFACTORY METHOD AS AN ALTERNATIVE  
TO THIS AWKWARD "EXPANSION" SYSTEM EMPLOYED FOR EMERGENCY  
SITUATIONS. END FYI.

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2. WFP HAS UNDERGONE CONSIDERABLE INHOUSE DISCUSSION  
REGARDING THE RECIPIENT NUMBER TO BE USED FOR PLANNING  
PURPOSES. SINCE THERE HAS BEEN NO APPROPRIATE AGREEMENT  
ON NUMBERS WFP FELT IT HAD NO CHOICE BUT TO MOVE AT THIS  
TIME WITH A 2.2 MILLION FIGURE OF ADULT RATIONS (CHILD/  
ADULT ADJUSTMENTS CAN BE MADE WHEN AGREEMENT FORMALIZED).  
WORKING WITH THIS RECIPIENT NUMBER AS A GIVEN TOGETHER  
WITH ACTUAL DISTRIBUTION FIGURES AND THE ESTABLISHED  
RATION WFP'S PRELIMINARY REPORT SHOWS THE FOLLOWING AT

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END FEBRUARY 1983 (FIGURES IN 1,000 MT):  
- CEREALS NFDM VEGOIL

O/H OR AVAILABLE-----147.5-----15.2(A)-----22.2  
FROM PLEDGES

REQUIREMENTS-----330.0-----19.8-----19.8  
1 MAR - 31 DEC 83

BALANCE------(182.5)------(4.6)-----2.4

(A) FOR PLANNING PURPOSES WFP HAS ANTICIPATED A U.S.  
CONTRIBUTION OF 5,000 MT NFDM.

3. ON THE BASIS OF PLANNING FIGURES WFP CALCULATES THAT  
COMMODITY AVAILABLE (ON HAND, IN TRANSIT AND PLEDGED)  
WILL MEET REQUIREMENTS FOR CEREALS UNTIL MID-JUNE  
(ALTHOUGH BORROWING FROM GOP STOCKS MAY BE NECESSARY IN  
MARCH/APRIL); NFDM UNTIL MID-SEPTEMBER; VEGOIL BEYOND  
31 DEC 1983. (THE MILK POWDER SUPPLY ASSUMES A 5,000 MT  
U.S. CONTRIBUTION OTHERWISE CURRENT NFDM COMMITMENTS  
WILL MEET REQUIREMENTS THROUGH JULY.)

4. REGARDING OTHER DONOR PARTICIPATION (REF A PARA 3)  
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WFP ADVISES THAT THE JAPANESE DOUBLED THIS COMMITMENT  
IN LATE CY 1982 TO BRING THEIR TOTAL TO 81,000 MT CEREALS  
(SEE REF D PAGE 13 AND APPENDIX D) AND A NEW PLEDGE OF  
NFDM IS BEING DISCUSSED; FRANCE, FGR AND UK HAVE  
REVISED UPWARD THEIR PLEDGES IN LATE 1982. ALTHOUGH WFP  
DISCUSSIONS ARE UNDERWAY WITH SEVERAL POTENTIAL DONORS,  
E.G. 20,000 MT WHEAT FROM FGR UNDER DISCUSSION BUT NO  
CONFIRMATION, THERE HAS BEEN NO FURTHER DONOR COMMITMENTS  
TO DATE.

5. IN VIEW OF THE REQUIRED TITLE II LEADTIME FOR NFDM,  
REF A PARA 3, AND THE NECESSITY TO PHYSICALLY TRANSFER  
THIS COMMODITY FROM PORT TO DISTRIBUTION CENTERS (VERSUS  
BULK SOFT WHITE WHEAT IN WHICH THE TRANSFER IS MORE AN  
ACCOUNTING RATHER THAN LOGISTIC EXERCISE), AID/W SHOULD  
QUICKLY APPROVE A 5,000 MT COMMITMENT TO THE SUBJECT  
PROJECT EXPANSION. WFP PREPARED TO SUBMIT SHIPPING  
INSTRUCTIONS UPON CONFIRMATION OF APPROVAL. ADVISE. IN  
ADVISING NFDM APPROVAL PLEASE INDICATE IF NFDM IN CARTONS  
(REF D) WILL BE AVAILABLE.

6. FOLLOWING ARE PRELIMINARY PLEDGED/DELIVERY FIGURES  
CUMULATIVE THROUGH FEB 83 WHICH MAY REQUIRE MINOR  
ADJUSTMENTS (IN 1,000 MT):

	CEREALS	NFDM	OIL	OTHER
DONORS				

BILATERAL-----287.9----1.7----7.2-----5.6

-	AUSTRALIA-----	-67.5	-0.1	-0.0	-----2.8
-	BELGIUM-----	-2.0	-0.0	-0.0	-----0.0
-	CANADA-----	-45.3	-0.0	-7.2	-----0.0
-	FRANCE-----	-25.5	-0.0	-0.0	-----0.0

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-	GERMANY (FRG)	-----39.3	----	NIL	----	NIL	-----2.0
-	JAPAN	-----80.2	----	2.6	----	0.0	-----0.0
-	KUWAIT	-----1.1	----	0.0	----	0.0	-----0.8
-	TURKEY	-----3.8	----	0.0	----	0.0	-----NIL
-	U.K.	-----23.2	----	0.0	----	0.0	-----0.0

EEC THRU UNHCR-----77.0-----8.1-----4.8-----2.5

UNHCR-----0.0-----0.0-----0.0-----23.5

WFP-----611.9-----27.5-----36.2-----6.0

-	AUSTRALIA	-----20.0	----	0.0	----	0.0	-----0.0
-	CANADA	-----23.8	----	0.2	----	0.0	-----0.0
-	FRANCE	-----21.5	----	0.0	----	0.0	-----0.0
-	GERMANY (FRG)	-----24.1	----	0.0	----	0.0	-----0.0
-	NORWAY	-----0.0	----	0.0	----	1.1	-----0.0

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-	SAUDI ARABIA	-----0.0	----	0.0	----	0.0	-----6.0
-	SWITZERLAND	-----1.0	----	0.5	----	0.0	-----0.0
-	USA	-----475.8	----	26.8	----	35.1	-----0.0
-	EEC	-----29.7	----	0.0	----	0.0	-----0.0
-	OPEC	-----16.0	----	0.0	----	0.0	-----0.0

TOTAL-----976.8-----38.3-----48.2-----40.6

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(A) SLIGHT DIFFERENCES MAY BE FOUND DUE TO ROUNDING;

(B) NIL REFLECTS CONTRIBUTIONS OF LESS THAN 100 MT; OTHER  
BILATERAL DONORS OF COMMODITIES IN AMOUNTS LESS THAN 100  
MT WERE: DUBAI, INDONESIA, LUXEMBURG, SWITZERLAND AND  
YUGOSLAVIA.

(C) THE TOTAL VALUE OF PLEDGED/DELIVERED WFP COMMODITIES  
(682,500 MT) IS DOLLARS 219.4 MILLION OF WHICH DOLLARS  
205.3 IS CATEGORIZED AS IEFR. BILATERAL AND UNHCR  
CONTRIBUTIONS ARE NOT VALUED WFP.

(D) THE ABOVE FIGURES DO NOT INCLUDE UNCONFIRMED PLEDGES  
OF FGR 20,000 MT CEREAL AND EEC 2,000 MT EDIBLE OIL.

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